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For: Multibeam Light Source Unit And Laser

Scanning Unit Having The Same Structure

## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.56 and 1.97-1.98, the Applicant herewith transmits the attached Form PTO/SB/08a, listing documents which were cited in an Official Action received from the Chinese State Intellectual Property Office (issue date of May 12, 2006) with respect to related Chinese Patent Application No. 200410083368.5, and which may be deemed material to the examination of the above-identified application. An English language copy of the Official Action provided by the Chinese State Intellectual Property Office is enclosed for the Examiner's convenience, and is provided as the statement of relevance. A copy of the listed U.S. Patent is omitted.

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The Examiner is requested to consider the attached documents in connection with the above-identified application, and to return a copy of the Form PTO/SB/08 to the Applicant with the Examiner's initials in the spaces provided.

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